

**PHARMACY BOARD[657]**

**Notice of Termination**

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 147.76, the Board of Pharmacy terminates the rule making initiated by its Notice of Intended Action published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on October 2, 2013, as **ARC 1041C**, proposing to amend Chapter 6, “General Pharmacy Practice,” Iowa Administrative Code.

The Notice proposed to add to the information that must be communicated to the pharmacist receiving a prescription transfer from another pharmacy any special directions, restrictions, or notations included by the prescriber on the original prescription including but not limited to restrictions relating to drug product selection or substitution. The amendments also proposed adding a new rule 657—6.11(155A) establishing requirements for drug product selection and “do not substitute” restrictions.

The Board is terminating the rule making commenced in **ARC 1041C** based on comments and objections received from members of the public, health care professionals, and health care professional organizations. The Board will continue to review the issues raised by the numerous commenters.